

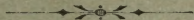
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ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF
BENNINGTON, N. H.

FOR THE

Year Ending February 15, 1912

Also, Vital Statistics for the Year Ending
December 31, 1911



PETERBORO, N. H.
THE TRANSCRIPT PRINTING COMPANY
1912

INVENTORY OF REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

ASSESSED ON THE 1ST DAY OF APRIL, 1911.

232 polls	\$ 23,200 00
Land and buildings	174,473 00
78 horses	5,875 00
2 mules	100 00
4 oxen	160 00
137 cows	3,966 00
18 neat	360 00
33 sheep	99 00
450 fowls	225 00
9 vehicles	1,125 00
Money at interest	5,210 00
Bank stock	800 00
Stock in trade	27,660 00
Mills and machinery	58,650 00
	<hr/> 301,903 00

Amount of taxes exempt to veterans and their wives and widows, \$161.70.

Amount of money raised by tax, \$5,876.36.

Rate per cent. of taxation for all purposes, \$2 on \$100.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1912.

Uncollected on Smith's list, 1907	9 89
" " " " 1908	11 10
" " Sargent's list, 1910	181 36
Paid treasurer on Sargent's list, 1910	181 36
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Amount given F. W. Sargent, 1911	5876 36
Abated on Sargent's list, 1911	13 20
Paid treasurer on Sargent's list, 1911	5695 60
Uncollected on Sargent's list, 1911	167 56
	<hr/> 5876 36

ABATEMENTS—SARGENT'S LIST, 1911.

Frank Cheney	2 00
B. F. George	1 20
Edward Shea	2 00

Patrick Faley,	paid in Massachusetts	2 00
Scott W. Knight,	" "	2 00
Pat Garvin,	" "	2 00
Thomas Wilson,	over age	2 00

13 20

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT.

F. H. Kimball, Treas., in account with the town of Bennington,
for the year ending Feb. 15, 1912.

DR.

To balance in the treasury for "State Road Account," Feb. 15, 1911	\$ 42 36
To balance in treasury other than above Feb. 15, 1911	2423 91
Cash received of H. W. Wilson, picture show insurance rebate	24 00
Cash received of M. M. Cheney	15 00
Cash received of E. W. Baker	6 00
Cash received of H. B. Lakin, pool table licenses	15 00
Cash received of John Adams, pool table licenses	20 00
Cash received of F. L. Keeser, town clerk, dog licenses	157 00
Cash received of State Board License Commissioners, balance license fee for year ending April 30, 1911	25 15
Cash received of Vanni, pedlar's license	5 00
Cash received of S. A. Carter, state treas- urer, account state road	255 31
Cash received of selectmen for dog show license	2 00
Cash received of Geo. Myhaver, rents town hall	23 00
Cash received of P. F. Cody, rents town hall	133 00
Cash received of G. H. King, rents town hall	236 75
	<hr/> 392 75
Cash received of S. A. Carter, state treas- urer, insurance tax	9 00

Cash received of S. A. Carter, state treasurer, railroad tax	375 26
Cash received of S. A. Carter, state treasurer, savings bank tax	730 10
Cash received of S. Carter, state treasurer, literary fund	77 88
Cash received of S. A. Carter, state treasurer, proportion school fund	285 68
Cash received of Goodell Co. for old lead pipe	36 96
Cash received of F. H. Kimball, lot in Sand Hill Cemetery	5 00
Cash received of A. F. Bell, formaldehyde and potassium sold	2 90
Cash received on account of Anna W. Woodbury cemetery fund, from Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 00
Cash received of H. W. Wilson, fines imposed in justice of the peace cases	23 38
Cash received of Anne B. Kimball, treasurer, School District, for coal	60 53
Cash received of F. M. Sargent, 1910 list	181 36
Cash received of F. M. Sargent, 1911 list	5695 60
	<hr/> \$10,869 23

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By paying the following accounts :

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bennington Water Works Co., water, Jan. 1, 1910, to Jan. 1, 1911	25 00
H. W. Wilson, insurance	98 38
Transcript Printing Co., printing town reports	34 00
C. F. Burnham, for cash paid for stationery	1 80
H. W. Eldridge, printing	4 50
American Express Co., express charge	40
C. F. Burnham, cash paid for badges	1 75
M. M. Cheney, insurance	15 00
Robert Wilson, cleaning cemetery	2 33
W. F. Murray, " "	1 75
Piper & McIntire, piano for town hall	266 50
John Eaton, care of engine house July 4	2 00
John Smiley, cleaning cemetery	1 75
J. J. Griswold, " "	5 25

Bennington Water Works Co., hydrants for six months	99 91
John M. Cody, labor on town house	5 50
J. J. Griswold, putting water in to Evergreen Cemetery	42 75
H. W. Sawyer, C. E., running Bennington and Greenfield line	16 75
F. H. Kimball, iron pipe for Evergreen Cemetery	120 74
John Adams, team and dinner for surveyor	2 50
E. W. Baker, insurance on town hall	30 00
G. H. Duncklee, care of Emily Whittemore cemetery lot	1 00
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on pipe and fittings	2 85
Goodell Co., street lights	140 00
J. L. King, labor on hearse house	44 08
“ “ taking sides off covered bridge	8 78
“ “ putting on chimney caps	23 74
W. B. Russell, M. D., returning births and deaths	2 75
C. F. Burnham, running Bennington and Greenfield line	4 00
C. F. Burnham, expense of trip to Manchester	3 50
C. F. Burnham, expense of attending Tax Commission meeting	4 25
F. L. Eaton, stationery, postage, etc.	5 40
F. L. Eaton, running Bennington and Greenfield line	4 00
J. J. Griswold, expense to Manchester, 2 days, and to Keene 1 day	11 47
J. J. Griswold, running Bennington and Greenfield line	4 00
F. L. Eaton, expense of attending Tax Commission meeting	4 25
F. L. Eaton, expense of trip to Manchester and to Keene	6 97
H. H. Barber, keys for desk	45
Bennington Water Works Co., water from Jan. 1, 1911, to Jan. 1, 1912	25 00
W. C. Starrett, watering trough	10 00
G. O. Joslin, 2 teams to No. Bennington, July, 1910	3 00

A. Perley Fitch, supplies, account Board of Health	6 69	
F. M. Sargent, stamps and supplies	4 16	
	<hr/>	\$1096 75

POLICE.

Paid C. H. Trask, police duty	33 86	
C. H. Dutton, conveying prisoners to Grasmere	15 00	
G. L. Rand, police duty	21 24	
G. S. Holt, police duty, July 4	5 00	
R. E. Messer, police duty in Bevins case	8 62	
R. E. Messer, police duty	6 12	
H. Wilson, costs in justice of the peace cases	18 00	
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FOREST FIRES.

Paid G. S. Holt	66 97	
Richard Myhaver	1 00	
P. E. Cashion	1 00	
B. D. Brown	1 00	
Enos Veino	1 00	
	<hr/>	70 97

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Paid G. O. Joslin, food for 10 tramps	1 39	
C. H. Trask, food and care of tramps	12 10	
W. B. Russell, M. D., medical services to tramp	75	
W. B. Russell, M. D., medical services to P. McGrath	11 25	
May Clinton, nurse at P. McGrath's	20 00	
Enos Veino, wood for McGrath	4 50	
C. H. Trask, team for McGrath	1 50	
Hillsborough County Farm, board of Wm. Shea	39 00	
Hillsborough County Farm, board of Jos. Shea	39 00	
G. L. Rand, care and food for tramps	18 21	

Enos Veino, wood for Mrs. P. F. Cody	4 50	
G. L. Rand, provisions for Mrs. P. F. Cody	5 58	
Mrs. Lena Hansle, rent for Mrs. P. F. Cody	30 00	
F. A. Knight, provisions for Mrs. F. P. Cody	47 34	
F. A. Knight, food and care of tramps	30 00	
J. E. Veino, rent of Miss Flagg's tenement	60 00	
J. J. Griswold, wood for tramp house	4 00	
Allen Gerrard, services on account of death and burial of John Flagg	3 00	
Allen Gerrard, services on account of death and burial of J. Marshall	2 00	
F. A. Knight, supplies for tramp house	1 35	
	<hr/>	335 47

HIGHWAYS.

Paid Geo. S. Holt, road agent	903 40	
approved highway orders	26 81	
	<hr/>	930 21

STATE ROAD.

Paid Geo. S. Holt		733 93
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PUBLIC TAXES.

Paid S. A. Carter, state treasurer, state tax	833 00	
Irving E. Forbes, Hillsborough County treasurer, county tax	403 20	
	<hr/>	1236 20

TOWN HALL.

Paid George Myhaver, care of hall	9 20	
P. F. Cody " "	28 10	
Geo. H. King, " "	44 10	
Geo. H. King, sawing wood and setting glass	1 45	

G. L. Rand, 2 brooms	90	
R. K. Pratt Coal Co., coal	94	10
Boston & Maine R. R., freight on coal	19	15
J. J. Griswold, drawing coal	8	00
Goodell Co., electric lights	107	63
Goodell Co., lamps and repairs	18	44
G. H. King, labor on steam pipes	2	60
W. C. Starrett, labor and material on piping	6	81
G. O. Joslin, cement and window cord	3	25
	<hr/>	343 73

G. E. P. DODGE LIBRARY.

Paid H. W. Wilson, trustee, appropriation	200	00
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VILLAGE CEMETERY.

Paid C. H. Kimball, chairman of committee, appropriation	175	00
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NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid C. H. Philbrick, G. M. Brown note No. 18	300	00
C. H. Philbrick, interest on No. 18	7	00
Mrs. E. A. Knight, note No. 12	500	00
Mrs. E. A. Knight, interest on note No. 12,	15	00
C. H. Philbrick, interest on notes Nos. 13, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 28, to Jan. 1, 1912	87	00
E. I. Dodge, interest on note No. 27, to Jan. 1, 1912	24	00
L. A. Knight, interest on notes Nos. 14, 15, and 30	41	00
Miss S. M. Taylor, interest on Note No. 24, to Jan. 1, 1912	20	00
H. W. Wilson, Samuel Foote note No. 26	50	00
H. W. Wilson, interest on note No. 26	2	00
Abram A. Ramsey, interest on note No. 29, to Jan. 1, 1912	20	00
	<hr/>	1066 00

SCHOOLS.

Paid Anne B. Kimball, treasurer :		
Amount of literary fund	77	88
Proportion school fund	285	68
Dog licenses	161	40
Voted by the District	1832	50
	<hr/>	2357 46

BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS.

Paid J. J. Griswold, selectman, for cash paid for hedgehogs killed		12 80
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MEMORIAL DAY APPROPRIATION,

Paid John Scott amount of appropriation		50 00
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid John Eaton, care of engine and for supplies	26	50
F. L. Keeser, pay-roll for Fire Com- pany	73	25
	<hr/>	99 74

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid F. L. Eaton, first selectman	65	00
C. F. Burnham, second selectman	45	00
J. J. Griswold, third selectman	40	00
F. L. Keeser, town clerk	40	00
F. H. Kimball, town treasurer	50	00
A. F. Bell, auditor for 1911	2	00
F. H. Kimball, moderator for 1911	2	00
A. F. Bell, Board of Health, services and expense	12	40
G. E. Edwards, Board of Health	5	00
R. E. Messer, constable	5	00
" " dog constable	5	00
H. W. Wilson, supervisor	4	00
" " overseer of the poor	15	00
F. M. Sargent, tax collector	88	15
	<hr/>	378 55

ANNA M. WOODBURY FUND.

For care of the S. Baldwin and Hugh Bell lots in the
Village Cemetery :

Paid G. H. Duncklee

2 00

STATEMENT OF JOINT HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

	1910	1911	Total.
Town contribution	42 36	448 50	490 86
State "	25 42	268 80	294 22
Total joint Fund	\$67 78	\$717 30	\$785 08
Town disbursements approved		733 03	
State "		31 03	
Total disbursements			764 06
Paid by state to the town		255 31	
Balance in the town treasury		13 14	
" " state treasury		7 88	
Total unexpended			21 02

RECAPITULATION.

Cash and receipts placed in the treasurer's hands :

Unexpended appropriation for state roads \$ 42 36

Balance in the treasury other than above,

Feb. 15, 1911 2423 91

Received from all other sources 8402 96

10,869 23

ORDERS PAID.

Miscellaneous	1096 75
Police	107 84
Forest fires	70 97
Support of poor	335 47
Highway	930 21
State road	733 03
Public taxes	1236 20
Town hall	343 73
G. E. P. Dodge Library	200 00
Village cemetery	175 00
Notes and interest	1066 00
Schools	2357 46

Hedgehog bounty	12 80	
Memorial Day	50 00	
Fire Department	99 75	
Town officers	378 55	
Anna M. Woodbury fund, for care of cemetery lots	2 00	
Balance in the treasury for state roads	13 14	
Balance in the treasury, exclusive of state road account	1660 33	
	<hr/>	10,869 23

LIST OF TOWN NOTES OUTSTANDING FEB. 15, 1912.

C. H. Philbrick, No. 13, due Jan. 1, 1913	\$500 00
L. A. Knight, " 14, " " 1914	500 00
" " " 15, " " 1915	200 00
C. H. Philbrick, " 19, " Aug. 1, 1912	300 00
" " " 20, " " 1913	300 00
" " " 21, " " 1914	300 00
" " " 22, " " 1915	200 00
G. M. Brown, now held by C. H. Philbrick, No. 23, due Oct. 13, 1913	300 00
Miss S. M. Taylor, " 24, " Jan. 1, 1914	500 00
E. I. Dodge, " 27, " on demand	600 00
C. H. Philbrick, " 28, " "	400 00
A. A. Ramsey, " 29, " "	500 00
Lewis A. Knight, " 30, " "	500 00

Total, 5100 00

STATEMENT OF THE TOWN'S FINANCIAL
CONDITION.

LIABILITIES.

Notes outstanding 5100 00

ASSETS.

Balance in the treasury, exclusive of state road account	1660 33	
Due from the state for hedgehog bounty paid	12 80	
Uncollected taxes on Smith's list 1907	9 89	
" " " " " 1908	11 10	
" " " Sargent's " 1911	167 56	
	<hr/>	1861 68
Liabilities, less assets		3238 32

Liabilities, less assets, Feb. 15, 1911	3323 74
“ “ “ Feb. 15, 1912	3238 32

Decrease of debt 85 42

TRUST FUNDS.

The G. Andrew Whittemore fund for perpetual care of his lot in the Village cemetery \$300 00

Dividends, including No. 123 of 1911 52 04

This fund is deposited in the New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord.

The Mrs. Anna M. Woodbury fund, for the perpetual care of the S. Baldwin and Hugh Bell lots, and the grave of Mrs. A. M. Chick, in the Village cemetery \$200 00

From this account there has been paid during the year the sum of \$2, as is shown elsewhere in this report. Balance in dividends, Feb. 15, 1912 44 00

This fund is deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester.

The Helen P. Ramsey cemetery fund, for the perpetual care of the S. Baldwin and Hugh Bell lots in the Village cemetery \$200 00

Dividends to July 1, 1911 46 43

This fund has heretofore been known as the Anne E. Ramsey fund, and is changed as above, at the request of the interested parties. This fund is deposited in the Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester.

F. H. KIMBALL, Treasurer.

F. L. EATON, }
C. F. BURNHAM, } Selectmen
J. J. GRISWOLD, } of
Bennington.

We have examined the above reports of the town officers, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ARTHUR F. BELL, }
W. C. STARRETT, } Auditors:

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

Town of Bennington in account with G. S. HOLT, Road Agent.

DR.

1911				
March	.	G. S. Holt, 2½ days labor	\$5 00	
		John Smiley, 3 " "	5 25	
		John Cody, 1½ " "	2 63	
		G. S. Holt, team	1 00	
Apr.	15.	Jack Shea, 3 " "	5 25	
		Robert Shea, 4 " "	7 00	
		F. A. Taylor and team, 4½ days labor	19 25	
		G. O. Joslin and team, 2 days	8 50	
		John Smiley, 4 " "	7 00	
				60 88
	17-22.	G. S. Holt, 3 " "	6 00	
		G. O. Joslin and team 6 " "	25 50	
		F. A. Taylor and team 5½ " "	23 37	
		John Smiley, 6 " "	10 50	
		John Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		Robert Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		J. J. Griswold and team, 4 " "	17 00	
				103 37
	24-29.	G. S. Holt, 6 " "	12 00	
		G. O. Joslin and team, 6 " "	25 50	
		F. A. Taylor and team, 6 " "	25 50	
		J. J. Griswold and team, 1 " "	4 25	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 5 " "	21 25	
		John Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		Robert Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		John Smiley, 6 " "	10 50	
		Geo. A. Ross, 5 " "	10 00	
				130 00
May	1-6.	G. S. Holt, 6 " "	12 00	
		G. O. Joslin and team, 6 " "	25 50	
		F. A. Taylor and team, 3 " "	12 75	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 5½ " "	23 37	
		John Smiley, 6 " "	10 50	
		Robert Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		John Shea, 6 " "	10 50	
		Geo. A. Ross 6 " "	12 00	

		J. Heritage, blacksmith bill repairing tools	2 00	
			<hr/>	119 12
8-13.		G. S. Holt, 4 days	8 00	
		G. O. Joslin and team, 6 "	25 50	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 6 "	25 50	
		John Smiley, 6 "	10 50	
		John Shea, 6 "	10 50	
		Robert Shea, 6 "	10 50	
		Geo. A. Ross, 4 "	8 00	
			<hr/>	98 50
July	5.	Geo. A. Ross, 1 day	2 00	
		John Cody, $\frac{1}{2}$ "	1 00	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 1 "	4 25	
		G. S. Holt, 1 "	2 00	
17-22.		G. S. Holt, 5 days	10 00	
		Geo. A. Ross, $5\frac{1}{2}$ "	11 00	
		Robert Shea, 5 "	8 75	
		Dick Myhaver, $\frac{1}{2}$ day	87	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 5 days	21 25	
		John Cody, 1 day	2 00	
		Sam Newton, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days	4 37	
		Guy Veino, $\frac{1}{2}$ day	1 00	
			<hr/>	68 49
24-31.		G. S. Holt, 5 days	10 00	
		Geo. A. Ross, 5 "	10 00	
		Robert Shea, 5 "	8 75	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 5 "	21 25	
14.		Bill Monadnock Paper Mill, cinders and labor	27 19	
		Bill Geo. W. Hunt, for drain pipe	13 80	
		Bill Charles Harrison, labor	2 77	
		Bill Goodell Co., bridge plank	51 92	
			<hr/>	145 68
		F. M. Mitchell, blacksmith bill	1 60	
		Bill Herbert McAlvin, bridge plank	42 47	

		Bill Monadnock Paper Mills, cinders and labor	11 56	
October.		Bill S. M. Thompson, road agent, painting bridges	27 88	
			<hr/>	88 51
1912				
Feb.	12.	Bill A. Lockman, labor on road	1 55	
		Bill C. H. Dutton, poles for railing	4 00	
1911				
Nov.	27,	G. S. Holt, 2 days' labor	4 00	
		Herbert Wilson and team, 2 days' labor	8 50	
		Ben Messer, 2 days' labor	3 50	
Dec.	28.	G. S. Holt, 2 days' labor	4 00	
		Herbert Wilson, 2 days' labor	8 50	
		John Smiley, 1½ days' labor	2 62	
			<hr/>	36 67

BREAKING ROADS AND CLEANING SIDEWALKS.

1912				
Jan.	9.	J. J. Griswold, cleaning side- walks	1 50	
		G. S. Holt, cleaning side- walks	1 00	
	15.	J. J. Griswold, cleaning side- walks	1 50	
		G. S. Holt, cleaning side- walks	1 00	
	16.	G. S. Holt, breaking roads	2 00	
		Herbert Wilson and team, breaking roads	4 25	
		F. A. Taylor, breaking roads	4 25	
	17.	F. A. Taylor, " "	4 25	
		Herbert Wilson, " "	4 25	
		G. S. Holt, " "	1 00	
	19.	G. S. Holt, cleaning walks	1 00	
		R. Myhaver, cleaning walks	60	
		M. Shea, " "	60	
	20.	G. S. Holt, " "	1 20	
	23.	" " work on road	1 00	
	30.	" " breaking road	1 00	

	Herbert Wilson and team	2 25	
	“ “ “	1 50	
		<hr/>	34 15
January.	Bill G. O. Joslin		11 95
	“ W. C. Starrett		1 08
	“ J. J. Griswold		5 00
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			903 40
Approved orders paid by town treasurer			26 81
			<hr/>
			\$930 21

Library Trustees' Report of the G. E. P. Dodge Library.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1912.

There are 105 taking out books at the present time. There have been added 107 books this year—94 by purchase and 13 by gift. We now have 2567 books on the shelves. We are taking 10 magazines this year. A book has been received from Wilfred Newton and magazines from Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Song, Mrs. White, and Master Phineas Adams. Twelve volumes have been received from Secretary of State.

A. B. LAWRENCE,
HENRY W. WILSON,
Trustees of G. E. P. Dodge Library.

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1912.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1911,	192 46	
Received from town treasurer	200 00	
Received from Emma Bartlett, librarian	2 75	
	<hr/>	395 21
Paid for books	130 82	
Freight and express	71	
Magazines	18 00	
Electric lights	11 39	
Wood, and putting in same	16 25	
Emma Bartlett, librarian's salary	50 00	
Balance on hand, Feb. 15, 1912	168 04	
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HENRY W. WILSON, Treasurer.

RECEIVED FOR RENT OF TOWN HALL.

February 15—March 10, 1911	23 00	
March	6 00	
April	19 00	
May	39 00	
June	36 00	
July	33 00	
August	46 50	
September	43 00	
October	33 00	
November	34 30	
December	34 90	
January, 1912	28 05	
February 1 to 15	17 00	
	<hr/>	392 75

CARE OF TOWN HALL.

February 15—March 11	9 20	
March	5 10	
April	4 80	
May	6 00	
June	6 20	
July	6 00	
August	6 70	
September	6 10	
October	4 90	
November	6 60	
December	11 30	
January, 1912	5 40	
February 1 to 15	3 10	
	<hr/>	81 40

FIREWARDS' REPORT.

For the year ending Feb. 15, 1912, your firewards report as follows :

Merrimack Engine, No. 1, in about the same condition as per last report.

There are 950 feet linen hose in good condition, and 450 feet linen jacket rubber hose in fair condition. The town did not purchase any hose during the year. There is one Babcock fire extinguisher in the town hall in good condition, two Keystone fire extinguishers in Engine hall in good condition, fire-hooks, one

20-foot, one 22-foot, and one 24-foot ladders, shovels, pails, lanterns, and rubber coats.

HENRY W. WILSON,	}	Firewards
G. S. HOLT,		of
F. H. KIMBALL,		Bennington.

Report of the Trustees of Evergreen Cemetery.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1912.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

DR.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1911	39 51	
Received from Mrs. J. W. Bailey	5 00	
" " F. A. Taylor	1 00	
" " Richard Day	5 00	
" " Mrs. P. F. Cody	5 00	
" " Harrison B. Wilson	5 00	
" " John Tweedie	5 00	
	<hr/>	65 51

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By paying F. L. Dickey, labor	10 28	
" " B. D. Brown, labor and team	3 00	
" " Robert Wilson, labor	65	
" " G. H. Duncklee, labor	88	
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Balance in Trustees' hands Feb. 15, 1912		<hr/> 50 70

CHAS. H. KIMBALL,	}	Trustees.
C. H. PHILBRICK,		

Report of the Committee on Sand Hill Cemetery Improvement.

DR.

Received from F. H. Kimball, town treasurer	353 44
" dividend, Amoskeag Savings Bank	4 12
	<hr/> 357 56

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By paying F. A. Taylor and team $9\frac{1}{2}$ days	40 38
By paying Geo. B. Griswold and team $9\frac{1}{2}$ days	40 37
By paying H. E. Wilson and team $9\frac{1}{2}$ days	40 38
By paying J. J. Griswold, 9 days	14 75
" " F. A. Newton, 8 "	14 00
" " John Smiley, 8 "	14 00
" " G. M. Brown, 9 "	16 63
" " Leon Messer, 2 "	3 50
" " Robert Shea, $1\frac{1}{2}$ "	2 63
	<hr/> 186 64
Balance in hands of the Committee Feb. 15, 1912	<hr/> 170 92

C. H. KIMBALL, Chairman.

School	Term	Name of Teachers	Weeks of School	Number of Pupils		Wages per Month	
				Males	Females		
Gram. Int. Prim. North	Spring	Mrs. Emma Shoults	12	14	5	9	48 00
		Miss May Knowles	12	24	13	11	36 00
		Miss Mae Cashion	12	39	23	16	48 00
		Miss Annie Welch	12	11	3	8	32 00
Gram. Int. Prim. North	Fall	Mrs. Emma Shoults	12	18	7	11	48 00
		Miss May Knowles	12	32	18	14	36 00
		Miss Mae Cashion	12	36	20	19	48 00
		Miss Annie Cuddihy	17	9	2	7	28 00
Gram. Int. Prim.	Winter	Mrs. Emma Shoults	10	18	7	11	48 00
		Miss May Knowles	10	32	18	14	36 00
		Miss Mae Cashion	10	37	20	17	48 00

Roll of Perfect Attendance.

Pupils who have not been absent during the year:

Grammar, Freda Edwards
 Primary, Katherine Cashion
 North, Clifton Gibson

Financial Report of the School District of the Town of Bennington, N. H.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1912.

ANNIE B. KIMBALL, Treasurer.

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Received from G. H. Dunlap, former treasurer :			
Cash and receipts		112 08	
Balance of appropriation for High school tuitions		129 79	
Balance of appropriation for repairs at the North Bennington school house		17 30	
		<hr/>	259 17
Received from F. H. Kimball, town treasurer :			
Amount required by law		832 50	
Amount additional appropriation by district, including \$125.00 for books and supplies, \$250.00 for High School tuitions, \$70.00 for District Officers' fees		1000 00	
Dog licenses		161 40	
Literary fund		77 88	
Proportion School Fund :			
Allowance on attendance	134 00		
Allowance on approved teachers	72 00		
Rebate on High School tuitions	79 68		
	<hr/>	285 68	
			2357 46
Received from Mrs. M. E. Knight, supplies and express			1 77
Fred Eaton, supplies and express			1 40
			<hr/>
			2619 80

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Cash paid Teachers :		
Miss Viola Hastings		26 00
" Grace Wilson		10 00

" Mae Cashion	444 00	
" May Knowles	333 00	
Mrs. Emma E. Shoults	408 00	
Miss Annie Welsh	96 00	
" Annie Cuddihy	119 00	
	<hr/>	1436 00

Cash paid for Books:

Ginn & Co.	42 78	
American Book Co.	7 48	
D. C. Heath & Co.	2 50	
Mrs. Emma Shoults	2 40	
Silver, Burdett & Co.	4 29	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	17 43	
	<hr/>	76 88

Cash paid for Supplies:

R. E. Lane	45	
Boston School and Supply Co.	1 49	
J. L. Hammett Co.	19 42	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	34 16	
Mrs. Emma Shoults	90	
	<hr/>	56 42

Cash paid for Care of School Rooms:

George Myhaver	12 81	
Patrick Cody	7 50	
Mrs. Kate Cashion	52 50	
Fred Gibson	5 00	
Jessie Curtis	6 80	
George H. King	19 50	
	<hr/>	104 11

Cash paid for Fuel:

Lewis A. Knight, wood	1 50	
Enos Veino, "	5 50	
Will Stearns, "	5 00	
Town of Bennington, coal	60 63	
	<hr/>	72 63

Cash paid for Express and Freight:

C. H. Philbrick, express	6 20	
" " freight	78	
Mrs. Emma Shoults, freight	1 37	
	<hr/>	8 35

Cash paid for Tuitions:

Antrim School District	160 00	
Milford " "	79 01	
Wilton " "	33 00	
	<hr/>	272 01

Cash for District Officers :

George Myhaver, truant officer	10 00	
M. M. Cheney, district clerk	5 00	
C. F. Burnham, member School Board	10 00	
F. L. Keeser, member School Board	10 00	
Mrs. M. E. Knight, chairman of School Board	25 00	
Anne B. Kimball, treasurer	10 00	
		<hr/> 70 00

Cash paid Miscellaneous Account:

Bennington Water Works Co., 2 years	50 00	
Edson C. Eastman, warrants	30	
G. L. Rand, merchandise	2 81	
Miss Cuddihy, broom	35	
M. M. Cheney, note No. 3 and interest	112 00	
F. A. Knight, merchandise	2 63	
Mrs. M. E. Knight, telephon eexpense, window shades	1 75	
E. E. Babb & Co., 2 8-day clocks	8 00	
Postage	1 26	
J. L. King, labor and material	38 77	
W. C. Starrett, " " "	24 88	
F. L. Keeser, " " "	7 75	
Geo. W. Hunt, " " "	10 00	
Geo. H. King, " " "	4 90	
C. F. Burnham, labor	2 00	
		<hr/> 267 40

Total receipts	\$2619 80
Total disbursements	2363 80
	<hr/> \$256 00

Balance in hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1912 :

For village schools	51 24	
repairs at North Bennington	17 30	
High School tuitions	187 46	
		<hr/> 256 00

ANNE B. KIMBALL,

District Treasurer.

We have examined the above accounts, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

LEE F. ROGERS, }
MORRIS M. CHENEY, } Auditors.

REPORT OF SEXTON.

For Year Ending February 15, 1912, for town of
Bennington, N. H.

NAME	Age			Died	Disease	Place of Interment
	Years	Months	Days			
Harry Crampton	19	7		¹⁹¹¹ Feb 18	Typhoid Pneumonia	Antrim
John Flagg	81			22	Senility	Bennington
Joseph Marshall	66	11	5	Mar 5	Angina Pectoris	Montpelier, Vt
Samuel Foote	74	2	2	7	Pneumonia	Bennington
Harold Joseph Day			27	Apr 5	Scleroedema	Bennington
Prudence O Carlin	70			27	Pneumonia	Bennington
Patrick F Cody	37			July 28	Consumption	Bennington
Benjamin F George	79	5	16	Aug 2	Apoplexy	Nashua
John M Tweedee			16	¹⁹¹² Jan 7	Acute Bronchitis	Bennington
Nathan Whitney	83	6	8	28	La Grippe	Bennington
Charlotte E White	50	9	24	Feb 9	Softening of Brain	Antrim

BROUGHT TO BENNINGTON FOR INTERMENT.

Warren Gillis	52			¹⁹¹¹ Mar 3		From Concord
Louis St John	45	2	27	Oct 1		" Francestown
Wm H Wo d	81	9	5	20		" Maine
Frank R Cheney	41	11	18	¹⁹¹² Feb 6		" Concord

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK A. TAYLOR, Sexton.

Births Registered in the Town of Bennington, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date	Name of Child	Sex	Living or sd	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan	14 Albert George	M	L	Albert F French	Nellie M Smith	Bennington	Greenfield	Walpole
Mar	13 Harold Joseph	M	L	Richard J Day	Rosie A Sawyer	"	England	Bennington
	16 Catherine Elizabeth	F	L	Lee F Rogers	Jessie E Dunlap	"	Marlow	Rock Island, PQ
	19 Leola Isabelle	F	L	Fred I. Eaton	Dora F Curtis	"	Bennington	Antrim
June	9 Charles Arthur	M	L	John Liacos	Grace E Bailey	W Groton Ms	Greece	Bennington
	22 Mary	F	L	Frank Blunda	Frances Lombro	"	Italy	Italy
July	7 Jasper	F	L	George E Wilson	Annie O Harmon	"	Lynn, Mass	Bennington
Aug	17 Muriel	M	L	John Lombard	Nunzia Lacasca	"	Italy	Italy
Oct	1 Mary Rosie	F	L	Arthur F Bell	Elizabeth A Cashion	"	Chattanooga, Mass	Greenfield
	4 Mary Rosie	F	L	Benjamin A Pupa	Elizabeth B Chindi	"	Italy	Italy
	25 Lillian	F	L	Herbert L Putnam	Ethel M Burt	"	Nashua	Bennington
Dec	23 John Malcolm	M	L	John Tweedee	Elsie Whitlock	"	Scotland	Mississippi

Marriages Registered in the Town of Bennington, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Place & Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Occupation	Place of Birth of Each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name and Residence of Person by whom Married
Jan 22 Hillsboro	Joseph Cuddem Munzia Loiacono	Bennington "	28 18	Paper Maker	Italy "	Albert Cuddem Mary Banundo	Italy "	Fr J G LeClerc Hillsboro
Apr 24 Montague, Mass	Albert G Bonnette Alice L Berthamine	Turner's Falls "	20 18	Paper Maker	Canada Lawrence, Mass	Francisco Salva Samuel Bonnette Margaret Robaitle August Berthamine	Canada "	Fr J M Casey Montague, Mass
May 21 Bennington	J Herbert Lindsay Ora M Wilson	Bennington Francesstown	25 17	Paper Maker	Hancock Francesstown	Virginia Houle Edward D Woods Annie M Lind-ay Elma E Wilson	Bennington Hancock Antrim	Rev G H Dunlap Bennington
June 15 Bennington	Charles M Taylor Lena M Sawyer	Bennington "	29 27	Paper Maker	Canada North Dakota	Jennie M Sweetzer James Taylor Mary Young	Lyndeboro Scotland Canada	Rev G H Dunlap Bennington
June 21 Bennington	George H King Maude F Sheldon	" "	25 18	Carpenter	Bennington Stanford, Conn	Jerome J Sawyer Eliza Burns John L King Clara R Heath	" New Boston	Rev G H Dunlap Bennington
June 28 Hillsboro	Jeston Root Joanna Cody	" "	32 26	Paper Maker	Fairfax, Vt Ireland	Amy Hadlock Karley Root Stina Gomo Michael Cody	Canada Vermont "	Fr J G LeClerc Hillsboro
Aug 12 Bennington	Wm McClelland, Jr Florence M Day	Boston, Mass Greenfield	43 35	Hotel	Ireland Greenfield	Ellen Coughlin Wm McClelland, Sr Ellen Harlett	Ireland "	H W Wilson Justice of Peace Bennington
Sept 7 Bennington	Wm B Russell Ada V Foster	Bennington "	53 51	Physician	Sutton Lowell, Mass	Sabra A Lewis George W Russell Sarah J Bean Charles O Foster Mary A Gray	Greenfield Sutton Newbury Hancock "	Rev G H Dunlap Bennington

Deaths Registered in the Town of Bennington, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1911.

Date	Name	Place of Birth			Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Place of Birth	
		Years	Months	Days				Father	Mother
Jan 17	Elsie May Johnston	89	10	2	M S	Pasquale Sola Will'g' by Crimpton	Franceka — — Brooks	Italy England	Italy England
Feb 18	Harry Crampton	19	7	30					
Mar 22	John Flagg	81	2	18	M S	John W Flagg	Abigail Buckman	Worcester, Mass	Alstead
Mar 3	Warren D Gillis	52			M S	Wm Gillis	Corcas Petty	Deering	Methuen, Mass
Mar 5	Joseph Marshall	66	11	5	M W	Joseph Marshall, Sr			
Mar 7	Samuel Foote	74	2	2	M M	Isaac Foote	Betsy Marden		
Apr 5	Harold J Day	70		27	M M	Richard Day	Rosa Sawyer	England	Bennington
Apr 27	Prudence O Carlin	70			F M				
July 28	Patrick F Cody	37			M M	Michael Cody	Ellen Coughlin	Ireland	Ireland
Aug 2	Benjamin F George	79	5	16	M M	Ammi M George	Eliza Bickford	Bennington	Hopkinton
Oct 1	Louis St John†	45	2	27	M M	Louis St John, Sr	Adaline Sapland	Canada	

* Died in Concord. † Died in Fraceestown.

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. L. KEESER, Town Clerk.

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